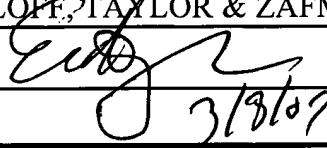
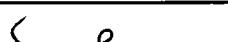


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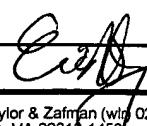
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed February 8, 2007, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-8 and 14, drawn to an assembling device for a plastic-lens-forming casting mold.